

BARROWBY NEWS

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Another highly successful Party on the Plot...

Around 130 plot holders, villagers and their families enjoyed a lovely relaxing BBQ at the allotments, with Skinners' burgers and sausages, salads using allotment produce, wonderful home-made cakes and a variety of drinks.

The children enjoyed seeing the bee observation hive, guessing the number of beans in the jar, trying the lucky dip and hoopla while the adults just enjoyed relaxing in the sun and walking round the plots. We had just enough food and drink for everyone! The committee would like to thank everyone who came for making it such a success.

The Barrowby Gardeners Association's next event is the Vegetable and Flower Show at the Memorial Hall on Saturday 9th September. Anyone can enter: bring your own produce, cakes, jams, flowers and flower arrangements. Pick up details of the classes at Skinners, the Post Office and Reading Room or call 07713 621672.

We have new Special Children's classes: Something I Made, Something I Drew, Something I Baked and Something I Grew. Entries for children are free.

Entries are taken from 9 to 12, doors open at 1.30 to view and the auction of the produce, cakes and flowers starts at 3. Teas, coffees and cakes and a raffle with a Lucky Dip and the Winner of Guess the Beans in the Jar will round off the day.

Our 2018 plot waiting list is now open. Come to the Show or visit us at our stall on the Green on the Saturday of the Scarecrow Festival and put your name down.

See the scarecrows, the official opening of the Enchanted Garden and enjoy the BBQ to music from Charlie's Ant on 2nd and 3rd September

Celebrate Barrowby's scarecrows over the weekend: cycle the Scarecrow Trail, visit the craft stalls of Made-in-Barrowby in the Reading Room, pop up to the Church for face painting and teas and play on the bouncy castle and Tombola on The Green.

On Sunday, there are garage sales with the official opening of the new play equipment at 4.45pm followed by the BBQ and Charlie's Ant from 5-7pm. Tickets for the BBQ must be bought in advance and will be on sale throughout the weekend.



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Parish News



Barrowby Neighbourhood Plan: the Steering Group's first actions

The Barrowby Parish Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group selected officers at their August Meeting: Chair, Nigel Jones; Vice Chair, Phil Cupit and Secretary, Debbie Birchenough.

If anyone would like to join the Steering Group, or become involved in the work, please contact Nigel via the Parish Clerk – barrowbypc@hotmail.co.uk

New houses for Barrowby

SKDC's 2017 Draft Local Plan proposes a potential allocation of 89 new dwellings in Barrowby on the land between Low Road and Reedings Road, in addition to the development (of over 300 dwellings) east of the A1 along Sheepwash Lane (also in the Parish). The Group's first task has been to draft a response to the Consultation, highlighting to SKDC some of the concerns of the village from the public meetings in April and May (e.g. traffic issues, parking, pressure on utilities, broadband coverage) and asked for clarification as to how these issues would be addressed within SKDC's process before final allocations or decisions are made.

Part of the land proposed for new housing is owned by Lincolnshire County Council and the Steering Group understands that LCC are proposing a Consultation Event in the village in September to outline their plans. Please watch out for details of this and come along to have your say! Remember you could be affected by construction traffic or by the additional traffic created by the potential new dwellings.

The Neighbourhood Plan team will have a stall on Stevens Gutter during the Scarecrow Festival. Please come along to meet us, learn more about the Plan and what we are doing - and give us your views and input.

Lincolnshire County Council are currently drawing together plans for a "consultation event" on the parcel of land that they own to the north of Low Road (one of the two areas highlighted in red on the SKDC plan) on *12th September*.

At some point, they should be contacting every address in Barrowby with details. Keep an eye out for it!

CASTLEGATE FASCIAS & WINDOWS

**Fascias, Gutters
Windows, Conservatories**

**For More Information Call Mike on
01476 567075 07941 752272**

DIARY DATES

Thursday 31st Aug: Barrowby Veterans Association, Reading Room

Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd Sept: Scarecrow Festival and Made-in-Barrowby

Sunday 3rd Sept: Cricket home match

4.45pm Opening of Enchanted Garden playground on the Green

5-7 p.m. BBQ on the Green and awarding of Scarecrow prizes

Tuesday 5th Sept and every Tuesday: Strictly Sequence Dancing Memorial Hall 1.30-4pm £2 incl. refreshment, call 01476 565045

Saturday 9th Sept: Vegetable and Flower Show and Auction Memorial Hall 1.30 viewing 3pm auction

Monday 11th Sept: Memorial Hall A.G.M. 7.30pm All welcome

Tuesday 12th Sept: LCC consultation event on new housing development in Barrowby, venue tbc

Thursday 14th Sept: Folk at The Swan

Sunday 17th Sept: Cricket home v Harlaxton

Monday 25th Sept: Singing at The White Swan

Thursday 28th Sept: Barrowby Veterans Association Reading Room

Around the Parish



Forester Scouts

Back in April some of the Scouts completed their Forester's Badge. This included learning how to safely use an axe, chopping down a tree, being able to identify some of our trees and learning about the environment and the effect we have on it.

All our Scouts who attended passed. The troop has another new tent on the way via the Sainsbury Active Kids Vouchers.

A big thank you to all of you who very kindly donated your vouchers.

Barrowby WI taste the fruits of the farm...

The ladies from Barrowby WI had a most enjoyable summer outing in July, during the long-gone heatwave, visiting Ownsworth's farm at Fulbeck. They learned about growing oil seed rape, how the oil is extracted at the farm and bottled there ready for the market. A buffet lunch was provided at Fulbeck village hall, with all the breads, pastries and cakes made locally, using their own rape seed oil as an ingredient. After lunch, including a glass of their own wine, we visited Ownsworth's vineyard, well hidden away in a walled garden nearby. Mr. Ownsworth is pictured in the photograph.

Barrowby WI meet on the third Wednesday evening of every month at 7.30pm in Barrowby Memorial Hall.

We are a friendly group and interested ladies would be most welcome to come along as visitors. For more information, contact us at barrowbywi@gmail.com

Can you help our Rainbows and Brownies?

Barrowby has thriving groups of Rainbows, Brownies and Guides, with both the Rainbows and Brownie units at full capacity. Over the last year our girls have taken part in many exciting activities including Guide camp, Brownie pack holiday, day trips out, crafts, coffee evenings, baking, games and much, much more.

Our Rainbow unit for girls aged 5-7 years old is in urgent need of a new leader and Brownies for girls aged 7-10 years also requires extra adult helpers. Volunteer opportunities are open to anyone over the age of 18 years old and can be on a weekly, fortnightly or monthly basis.

For more information and to register interest in volunteering visit www.girlguiding.org or call Alison on 01529 488855. Thank you.



All Saints' Church

Sunday 3rd September

8.00am Holy Communion
9.00am Prayer for Healing
9.30am Morning Praise

Sunday 10th September

8.00am Morning Prayer
4.00pm Harvest Festival and tea

Sunday 17th September

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Families Service

Wednesday 20th September

2.00pm Worship tea and cake
Redlands, Low Road

Sunday 24th September

8.00am Morning Prayer
10.30am Morning Prayer
followed by lunch

For more information or to arrange a lift, just ask. Rev Peter Hopkins 01476 565737

Barrowby Baptist Fellowship

We meet in the Memorial Hall. All welcome.

Sundays: 10.15 Worship and Sunday School

Mondays: 10.00 Cane and Able Coffee Morning
John 01400 250475 or Veronica 593317

Fridays: 6.30 Fantastic Friday Youth Group
Phil 07904 492190

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Barrowby Veterans Association News: At Last!

We have been notified by the RBL that demolition of the old club building will commence on 4th September. During the demolition stage, which is expected to last 4 weeks, the site will be secured by fencing to ensure that there is no unauthorised access. The association is seeking to avoid a situation whereby the fencing becomes a permanent fixture. ***This means that for at least the first term of the new school year, the car park at the British Legion Club is likely to be unavailable to parents of children attending the school.***

The local association continues in its efforts to secure the site for the future benefit of Barrowby residents. We hope there will be further news in the next couple of months.

Our monthly meetings continue on the last Thursday of the month and continue to be attended by a hard core of members who refuse to succumb to the Royal British Legion wishes for the association to disband. Come and join us on the last Thursday of the month (31st August and 28th September).

Memorial Hall AGM

**BARROWBY MEMORIAL HALL ANNUAL
GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON
MONDAY 11th SEPTEMBER AT 7.30pm.
ALL WELCOME.**

With the British Legion situation and age of the Hall it is important to consider the continued maintenance of the Hall, and costs and to receive a report on the continued popularity of the Hall as a venue.

Neighbourhood recommendations and information

Are you looking for recommendations of local traders? Want to get rid of items or advertise an event? Nextdoor Barrowby - <https://barrowby.nextdoor.co.uk> – is one way to ask your Barrowby neighbours for help, advice and information.

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